



NOTICE OF APPROVAL FOR HUMAN RESEARCH

DATE: *August 02, 2024*
TO: Pradeep Chhibber
Alyssa Heinze, Africa Studies Ctr for
CPHS PROTOCOL NUMBER: *2022-04-15307*
CPHS PROTOCOL TITLE: *Gender, Elections, and Elite Capture: A Natural Policy Experiment in Rural India*
FUNDING SOURCE(S): *Funding Type: Campus Funding*

A(n) *amendment* application was submitted for the above-referenced protocol. The Office for Protection of Human Subjects (OPHS) finds that this study is still granted exemption as it satisfies the Federal and/or UC Berkeley requirements under category(ies) 2.

Effective Date: *August 02, 2024*

Expiration Date: *May 30, 2032*

Please note that although your research has been deemed exempt from full committee and subcommittee review, you still have a responsibility to protect your subjects, and the research should be conducted in accordance with the principles of the Belmont Report. Download the Belmont Report at this link: www.hhs.gov/ohrp/humansubjects/guidance/belmont.html.

This approval is issued under University of California, Berkeley Federalwide Assurance #00006252.

Note: Exempt determinations are good for ten years. If the study continues beyond the ten-year period, the protocol must be cloned and re-submitted for an updated exempt determination.

If you have any questions about this matter, please contact the OPHS staff at 642-7461 or email ophs@berkeley.edu.

Sincerely,

Office for Protection of Human Subjects (OPHS)
UC Berkeley